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Larry is currently FMA's Managing Director. Larry has been a Director in FMA since 2012. He has experience in leading both financial and performance audits across a broad range of federal and private sector entities and programs. Larry has been the Lead Director on the audit of the consolidated financial statements of the U. S. government for the last three years and is currently directing the initial audit of the General Fund, which accounts for the trillions of dollars of cash receipts and cash disbursements for the government. As an Assistant Director in FMA, he led FMA's financial audit of the newly formed Consumer Financial Protection Bureau. He also led GAO's first ever financial audit of the federal government's debt presented in the U.S. Treasury's Schedule of Federal Debt, as well as large, complex financial audits of the Internal Revenue Service, and Securities and Exchange Commission. His leadership of performance audits at the U.S. Customs Service and Drug Enforcement Administration provided significant contributions to GAO's Seized Assets high-risk work.

Further, from 2004 until 2008, Larry served as a Congressional Advisor in GAO's Congressional Relations Office, with liaison responsibility for several congressional committees, including the House and Senate Committees on Appropriations, Budget, and Veterans Affairs, as well as the House Committee on Homeland Security. Prior to joining GAO in 1991, Larry worked in the private sector for an independent public accounting firm where he managed a diverse client base of manufacturers, wholesalers, and oil and gas companies.

Larry has received numerous awards throughout his career including the GAO Distinguished Service Award, GAO Meritorious Service Award for his contribution for financial management at the Departments of Treasury and Justice, and the GAO Continuous Improvement Award for his involvement in GAO's peer review process. He received a Bachelor of Science Degree in accounting from Saint Francis College, in Loretto, Pennsylvania, and is a Certified Public Accountant.